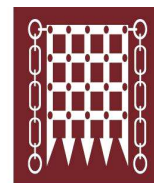


Westminster Education Forum policy conference
England's exam system - the impact of reform, addressing malpractice,
and options for improving accessibility, fairness and use of technology

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Venue: Central London



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Rt Hon the Lord Hunt of Kings Heath, former Shadow Spokesperson on Education
- 9.05 - 9.30 **General qualification reform - an overview**
Jill Duffy, Chief Executive, OCR
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.30 - 10.20 **The impact of reform so far and options going forward**
Dale Bassett, Director, International and Curriculum Strategy, AQA
Professor Sandra McNally, Director, Education and Skills Programme, Centre for Economic Performance and
Director, Centre for Vocational Education Research, London School of Economics
Professor Robert Eaglestone, Professor of Contemporary Literature and Thought, Royal Holloway, University of London
Senior representative, school
Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.20 - 10.25 **Chair's closing remarks**
Rt Hon the Lord Hunt of Kings Heath, former Shadow Spokesperson on Education
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- 10.50 - 10.55 **Chair's opening remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
- 10.55 - 11.25 **Next steps for implementing the recommendations of the malpractice review**
Dr Philip Wright, Director General, Joint Council for Qualifications
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.25 - 12.00 **Improving fairness and quality in the exam system - accessibility, costs and safeguarding the validity of assessments**
Andrew Harland, Trustee, Ability 2 Access
Dr Mary Richardson, Senior Lecturer (Assessment) and Associate Professor of Education, UCL Institute of Education
Senior representative, school
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.00 - 12.10 **The future for the use of technology in the exam system**
Senior speaker to be confirmed
- 12.10 - 12.55 **Next steps for England's exam system - options for alternative assessment models, use of technology, and ensuring qualifications equip young people with the skills to succeed post-16**
Matt Wingfield, Chair, The e-Assessment Association
Derek Richardson, Vice President and Responsible Officer, Pearson
Senior speaker confirmed from **BESA**
Questions and comments from the floor with senior speaker to be confirmed
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Education Forum closing remarks**
Senior Parliamentarian
Sean Cudmore, Deputy Editor, Westminster Education Forum